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ROBERT EBENDORF AND STEPHEN PROKOPOFF NAMED 1979 MAY SHOW JURORS

Robert Ebendorf and Stephen Prokopoff have been chosen as jurors for The Cleveland Museum of Art's 1979 May Show, the annual juried exhibition of work by artists and craftsmen of Ohio's Western Reserve. Ebendorf will be a member of the crafts jury and Prokopoff will jury in the other categories, including painting, sculpture, graphics, and photography. This year's May Show will run from April 11 through May 13.

Ebendorf is a professor of art at the State University College of New York at New Paltz. He holds a MFA degree from the University of Kansas and has studied in Norway. His jewelry and metal work has been documented in numerous books and publications, and he has exhibited extensively in the United States, Europe, Japan, and Australia.

Prokopoff is director of the Institute of Contemporary Art in Boston and has been director of the University of Pennsylvania Institute of Contemporary Art and the Museum of Contemporary Art in Chicago. He holds B.A. and M.A. degrees from the University of California at Berkeley and a Ph.D. from New York University. The organizer of several exhibitions and author of numerous articles, Prokopoff co-authored the book Nineteenth-Century Architecture of Saratoga Springs with Joan C. Siegfried.

Deadline for submission of entries is February 10. Entry forms, which must be accompanied by 35mm slides of the works, are available at The Cleveland Museum of Art and area colleges, art schools, libraries, art galleries, photo and art supply shops, and major department stores.

The annual exhibition is open to artists who are living or were born in the 13 counties of the Western Reserve: Ashland, Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Erie, Geauga, Huron, Lake, Lorain, Mahoning, Medina, Portage, Summit, and Trumbull.

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